or rivers that have a daily average flow of more than ten million gallons, the watershed shall include only such drainage areas as lie within fifteen miles of the waterworks' intake.

Officers of water companies relieved of inspection of watersheds.

N. C. Board of Health to assume duties of inspection. Other inspections permitted.

Funds from licenses to be used for enforcement of act.

Act not to apply to any city with population in excess of 20,000, if authorities so desire.

Act does not apply to homes more than 300 yards apart. Sec. 14. The officers of public water companies using surface supplies are hereby relieved after October first, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, of making the inspections and reports of sanitary conditions obtaining on watersheds as required by sections twenty-eight and twenty-nine, chapter sixty-two, Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and eleven, as amended, and the North Carolina State Board of Health shall assume and discharge these duties: *Provided, however*, that nothing in this act shall prevent the authorities of any town or city that makes use of a public surface water supply, or the officers of the public surface water supply company, to make such additional inspections as such officials may deem necessary.

Sec. 15. The funds received by the Treasurer of the North Carolina State Board of Health under the provisions of this act shall be expended in the enforcement of its provisions, and if there is a surplus over that which is necessary for the enforcement of this act, it shall be paid to the Treasurer of the State of North Carolina, to be expended as provided by law. All funds received and disbursed under the provisions of this act shall be accurately accounted for in the biennial report of the North Carolina State Board of Health.

Sec. 16. This act shall not apply to any city the population of which shall be in excess of twenty thousand according to the latest official estimate of the Bureau of the Census, if the authorities of such city, before October first, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, shall officially request the State Board of Health to exempt it from its provisions. This act shall not apply to the residences of farmers and the homes of their tenants that are located more than three hundred yards from residences that come within the meaning of this act.

Sec. 17. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 18. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

Ratified this 24th day of February, A. D. 1919.

CHAPTER 72

AN ACT TO REQUIRE COUNTY HOMES TO KEEP RECORDS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That the keeper or superintendent in charge of each county home in North Carolina, or the board of county commissioners in each county where there is no county home, shall keep

Keeper or superintendent to keep record book.